

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Rev. Edward T. Fairbanks and the South church choir will be at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon. This is getting to be the popular service for men and interesting meetings are held each Sunday.

The mechanical drawing class which is to meet at the Y. M. C. A. will have its first lesson on Tuesday evening next. There are a few vacant seats left which the committee would like to see filled. The price is certainly low enough so that none need stay out for that reason.

The contest which is going on in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. is arousing much interest among the members and attracting quite a number of spectators. The two events contested this week were the shot put and broad jump. The best record made in the put for the students was made by Arnold with a put of 33 ft. 1 inch, and the best jump was 8 ft. 6 1/2 inches, made by Abbott. For the town team McCormick made the best record in both events putting the shot 36 ft. 6 inches and jumping 9 ft. 1 inch. The score by points to date is as follows:

McCormick.	200 points.
Turner.	168 1/2
Fairbanks.	164
Brackett.	161 1/2
Plisher.	156 1/2
Bonett.	155 1/2
Straub.	151
Wheeler.	149
McCurcheon.	144
Arnold.	138 1/2
Stickney.	135
Abbott.	130
Wood.	127
Tinker.	123
R. Hubbard.	121 1/2
Jones.	115 1/2
Crane.	112 1/2
Gould.	112 1/2
C. Hubbard.	105 1/2
Smith.	103
Stiles.	178

The events for the week are the hitch and kick and the ladders. The students have their trials on Mondays at 4:30 p. m. and the town boys on Thursdays at 8 p. m.

DEATH OF MR. DEAN.

The death of B. F. Dean at his residence on Pleasant street in Paddock village, which occurred last Saturday evening, brought deep grief to those that held him dear. Mr. Dean was born in this town 55 years ago and has always resided here. In 1877 he was united in marriage with Miss Emma Bonett, who survives him. He was for several years an employee of the Fairbanks company. Eleven years since he entered the grocery business, which he quite successfully followed till some eight months since, when in consequence of failing health he was forced to leave it at a great financial sacrifice. Mr. Dean had established himself in the confidence of all who knew him as an honest and upright man. For several months he had been confined to his house, which he had so recently erected, hoping to spend long years in the enjoyment of it. During the months of his suffering his attention was turned toward those higher and deeper needs of human life, giving himself unreservedly to the Lord, dying fully reconciled to the inevitable. He was a kind and loving husband, and a kind friend to all. Sweet memories of his life will long be cherished by many. The afflicted wife and friends have the sympathy of the entire community in their loss.

C. W. D.

ST. JOHNSBURY CENTRE.

Rev. A. I. Davis of St. Johnsbury will give a patriotic lecture at the Congregational church Friday evening, Jan. 25. Subject, National danger and its remedies. All are cordially invited.

The singing school will be held in the Congregational vestry and will begin next Monday evening at 7 o'clock, with H. H. May for instructor. The book used will be the "Choral Union."

L. C. Woodbury has sold his farm to Charles Drown of Passumpsic.

J. E. Phillips has an auction next Saturday and will sell his farm and personal property. He expects to move to New York.

Mr. Smith, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., conducted a very interesting meeting at the Congregational vestry last Sunday evening.

ST. JOHNSBURY EAST.

An old folks concert will be given at the Congregational church this evening. A unique programme printed in ye olden time style on unbleached paper has been issued. After the music a grand old-fashioned supper will be served, consisting of all the good things to satisfy the appetite. All are cordially invited to attend.

RAILROAD BALL.

The 26th annual railroad ball under the auspices of the branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen will be held at the Stanley Opera House on Tuesday evening, Jan. 29. Landlord Chase will serve the supper at the St. Johnsbury House and music will be furnished by the Ladies Fadette Orchestra of Boston. George E. Beals of Boston, who decorated the town for President Harrison's visit, will have charge of the decorations at the Opera House and it is unnecessary to remark that the work will be finely done. The railroad ball has always been one of the social events of the season and we have no doubt there will be a large attendance on this occasion.

AMONG THE FRATERNITIES.

At the annual meeting of the Mechanics Mutual Relief Association held in Grand Army Hall last week Thursday evening these officers were elected:

President, A. W. Roberts.
Vice-President, G. H. Taplin.
Directors, Luther Brooks, E. L. Stiles, J. E. Taylor.
Sec. and Treas., H. E. Byron.
The association now has 113 members and \$151.48 in its treasury. Six members of the association have died during the year.

At a recent meeting of the American Legion of Honor, St. Johnsbury Council No. 1094, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Commander, Wm. S. Boynton.
Vice commander, Chas. H. Horton.
Past commander, Walter P. Smith.
Orator and chaplain, Edward T. Fairbanks.
Secretary and collector, R. W. Warner.
Treasurer, Wm. S. Boynton.
Guide, John O. Hale.
Warden, Wm. T. Horton.
Sentry, S. Mastin.
Trustees, Chas. H. Horton, Wm. T. Horton, Silas Mastin.

At the annual meeting of the Order of Foresters last Monday evening these officers were elected:

G. H. R., E. N. Brunelle.
G. P. H. R., S. J. Desrochers.
G. V. H. R., H. Michaud.
G. H. P., L. Demers.
G. H. G., J. C. Dacles.
G. H. S., F. C. Mayo.
A. G. H. S., A. Demers.
G. H. T., Thomas Legendre.
G. H. I. S., A. A. Duclos.

Officers of the Eastern Star Chapter were installed Monday evening as follows:

Patron, J. S. Weeks.
Matron, Mrs. Carrie Amazeen.
Associate Matron, Mrs. Hattie Story.

Secretary, H. E. Koepka.
Treasurer, Miss Rossie Weeks.
Conductress, Miss Eva Burke.
Associate Conductress, Miss Ella Flint.
Warden, Mrs. Lucinda Chamberlin.
Sentinel, O. C. Chamberlin.
Adah, Mrs. Ada Gould.
Ruth, Mrs. Abbie Underwood.
Esther, Mrs. Mary Batchelder.
Martha, Mrs. Carrie Page.
Electa, Mrs. Mary Bagley.
Chaplain, Mrs. Henrietta Goodall.
Marshall, Mrs. Carlisle Burke.
Organist, Mrs. Ella Pierce.

A SLIGHT BLAZE.

Tuesday evening Edwin C. Lewis son of Mrs. Kate Lewis, who occupies N. M. Johnson's house on Central street, went down stairs to fix the furnace fire for the night, when in some way the lamp he was carrying came in contact with a pile of excelsior, which was ablaze instantly. An alarm was given, and the fire and hook and ladder companies were soon there and succeeded in putting out the fire before any serious damage was done. The house was filled with smoke, and the ladies, who had retired for the night, had to make their exit in a hurry. Mrs. Lewis and Mr. Johnson express their appreciation and thanks to the firemen who did their work so thoroughly and with so little damage to property by water.

VILLAGE MATTERS.

These committees have been appointed among the board of trustees: sanitary, Barrett and Cheney; police, Russell and Randall; fire, Cheney and Russell; water, Moore and Barrett; streets, Randall and Moore.

At a meeting of the fire wardens held in the trustees' rooms Saturday evening, Cyrus Sargent was elected chairman and H. E. Byron clerk and treasurer. The following wards were assigned: First, J. N. Gale; second, S. Holmes; third, Cyrus Sargent; fourth, Geo. R. Crosby; fifth, H. E. Byron; sixth, W. H. Harris; seventh, H. A. Bartlett.

A PLEASANT WEDDING.

It will be of interest to some of our readers to learn of the marriage at Sioux City, Iowa, Dec. 24, of Miss Eva L. Stevens to Robert Livingstone. Miss Stevens was a former student in the Academy, afterward a teacher in the common schools.

She has been the stenographer for Credits Communion Company in Sioux City and has a large circle of friends. The groom is a native of Scotland being an active member of clan McKenzie. He is employed by the Sioux City Gas Company and is well known in Sioux City. Mr. and Mrs. Livingstone are to reside in that city for the present.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The adjourned meeting of the Board of Trade was held in their rooms on Monday evening and was fairly well attended. The subject under discussion was "How best to advance the interests of this organization in the future." The business men present were all in favor of keeping up this organization and doing all in their power to keep up the interest. A motion was introduced to reduce the membership fee from \$5 to \$3 and the annual dues from \$4 to \$2. This provoked quite a discussion. Those present seemed to favor the idea and a vote will be taken at the next monthly meeting.

CHURCH NOTES.

The young people of the North and South churches recently raised \$100 to buy dishes for the dining-room at Yankton college in South Dakota. They were assisted in the enterprise by the young people of the First Congregational church in Burlington.

The week of prayer was observed at the churches last week.

The annual meeting of the Railroad street Baptist church last Friday evening was preceded by tea at the parsonage. At the meeting a good number were present, and after the usual reports of officers and committees the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Deacon for three years, R. P. Kidder; clerk, Jesse Gage; treasurer, O. H. Henderson; trustees and auditors, W. E. Peck, Jesse Gage, Lyman Hooker. The officers of the Sunday school are: Superintendent, O. H. Henderson; assistant, Jesse Gage; secretary, Simeon Clark; treasurer, Alice Clark.

"The Story of a Bible which a King revised with his penknife," will be the topic of Rev. Mr. Tyrie's talk to young people next Sunday evening, at Grace Methodist church.

At the regular prayer meeting last Wednesday evening at the North church it was voted to increase the number of deacons from four to six, and T. M. Howard was elected to serve for six years and Dr. H. C. Newell for five years.

A variety supper and a fine literary and musical treat are to be given next Thursday evening, Jan. 24, at Grace Methodist church. A good time is in store for all who may go.

The ladies of the North church will hold a social this evening, Jan. 18. Supper from 6.30 to 8. All are cordially invited.

The Epworth League will hold a "Mother Goose" entertainment and supper in Grace church parlors, Thursday evening, Feb. 7.

AMHERST COLLEGE NOTES.

R. E. Lewis, formerly Y. M. C. A. secretary at St. Johnsbury, and now intercollegiate secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for Massachusetts and Rhode Island, was in Amherst last Thursday.

Mr. D. L. Moody spoke to the students last Thursday evening.

W. L. Raub, St. J. A. '89, Amherst '93, and now instructor in Physics, is to continue giving the regular lectures to the Juniors during this term in the absence of the professor. This decision was made in accordance with a petition from the Juniors.

Richard Lamson, St. J. A. '93, Amherst '97, surprised his friends by returning to college last Tuesday. He left about the middle of last term on account of trouble with his lungs, and has spent the past few weeks in Washington, D. C. His health is much improved, and he hopes, with care, to be able to continue his college work.

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE NOTES.

The new firm at the College book store is Smith & Patey. The managers are S. C. Smith '97, St. J. A. '93, and H. Philip Patey '98, St. J. A. '94.

B. T. Marshall '97, St. J. A. '93, will not return to college till late in the term. He will spend the winter preaching and teaching a singing school at Piermont, Vermont.

E. K. Hall '92, St. J. A. '88, addressed the athletic association on track athletics in Old Chapel last Wednesday. He is here from Harvard Law School to start the athletic team in their winter training.

BASKET BALL.

Those who were interested in the basket ball games played last winter will be interested to know that the Academy and town boys are to once more battle for the supremacy. The first game will take place in Stanley Opera House next Thursday night, and the game is sure to be interesting, for the teams are quite evenly matched. The men will play as follows:

Academy.	St. Johnsbury.
Stickney.	Back.
Arnold.	Back.
St. Clair.	Center.
Crane.	Forward.
Stiles.	Forward.
Wood.	Substitute.
Abbott.	Substitute.

It is hoped that a large number of people will attend and encourage the boys by their presence.

MEETING OF HOSE COMPANY NO. 4.

At the annual meeting of Hose Co. No. 4 Monday night, the following officers were elected: Foreman, E. A. Blodgett; asst. foreman, S. H. Kent; financial committee, P. A. Roach, C. E. Lewis and George Dickey; steward, J. Cox.

MASONIC MEETINGS.

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11, holds a special convocation on Friday evening, Jan. 18. The Mark degree will be conferred upon several candidates at this convocation.

WILLIAM WETHERBEE, H. P.

There will be a special convocation of Palestine Commandery No. 5, K. T., on Tuesday evening, Jan. 22. The orders of the Red Cross and Knights Templar will be conferred at that time.

JAMES H. HOLDER, Ec. Com.

DELOS M. BACON, Recorder.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

These are the advertised letters for the week ending Jan. 15th: E. M. Colby, Cyrus L. Haywood, Frank Law, Warren Little, Louis Patois, P. G. Prevost, J. H. Lathaud, Wm. S. Wheeler, Mrs. Chas. Taft.

WANTED, FOR SALE, ETC.

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mile from railroad station, containing twenty acres. Price, \$5000. For further particulars apply to Ivory P. Estes, 34 Ash street, Cambridge, Mass.

Miss Maggie Anderson desires to go out by the day at Dressmaking and Plain Sewing. Apply at David Sutor's No. 2 Union Block.

TEETH EXTRACTED. Dr. Stevens, dentist, from Bradford. The leading tooth extractor of Vermont, who extracted over 200 teeth, without pain, at the Avenue House by the aid of the Electric Vibrator, we are glad to learn will be at the Avenue House, St. Johnsbury again, Wednesday, Jan. 23, and at the Union House, Lyndonville, Jan. 22. Now is the time to have your teeth out, there is not the least particle of danger.

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A CARD OF THANKS. To those who have been so kind to me during the protracted sickness, and death of my husband, and have shown their sympathy in so many ways, rendering timely assistance, I wish to express my heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation.

MRS. EMMA DEAN.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Jan. 17, 1895.

Births.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 13, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Provencal.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 11, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Higgins.

At Castleton, Jan. 9, a daughter, to Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Clark.

Marriages.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 16, by Rev. A. H. Heath, William Gaffney and Isabel McKeever.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 15, by Rev. J. A. Boissonault, Henry Mossey and Clara L. Lacourse.

Deaths.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 12, Beatrice, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Legendre.

At St. Johnsbury, Jan. 12, B. F. Dean, aged 55 years.

At West Charleston, Jan. 8, very suddenly of heart failure, Rev. M. H. Abbey, pastor of Free Baptist church, aged 74 years.

At Danville, Jan. 5, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leighton, aged 7 months.

At Danville, Jan. 5, Mrs. John L. Frye, aged 53 years.

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Your choice in 27 Men's Fine All Wool Chinchillas, Heavy Worst-ed and Cheviot Overcoats, formerly \$9, \$10 and \$12, now	\$6	Black Jap Coats	\$7.50
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		Scotch Caps	21c.
		Boys' Caps	17c.
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